Mountain Weather Forecast

Northwest Highlands

Including Sutherland, Ben Wyvis, Wester Ross, The Cuillin, Glen Affric, Glen Shiel and Knoydart
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 13 Sep 2022 until 23:59 on Wednesday 14 Sep 2022

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 13 Sep 2022 at 02:39 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for mostly settled conditions with just a few mainly light showers during the rest of the week, lower for cloud amounts.

Headline for Tuesday 13 Sep 2022: Mainly dry and bright with some sunshine.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 13 Sep 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
10%	<05%	00%	00%	<05%	10%

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Weather: A few showers at first across the Caithness hills, otherwise most places will have a dry and bright day with sunny spells, although clouds increasing later across northern and western ranges to bring some patchy light rain here.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 20% increasing to 80% by mid-morning then reducing 30% during the evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Broken cloud at first with bases around 600-700 metres and some patches down to 400 metres in the north and west, but this lifting and breaking with most summits clear of cloud by mid-morning. Low cloud re-forming during the evening. Visibilities generally very good or excellent.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	20/25 NW	18/23 W	19/25 W	20/26 W	17/23 W	17/22 W	16/22 W
900	20/24 NW	16/21 W	18/25 W	19/26 W	17/23 W	16/21 W	15/21 W
600	13/17 NW	13/17 W	16/22 W	16/22 W	13/19 W	12/16 W	12/17 W
300	7/21 NW	6/18 W	8/22 W	8/23 W	6/19 W	6/18 W	5/17 W
Glen	6/14 NW	7/13 W	11/18 W	11/19 W	9/15 W	6/13 W	6/13 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	5/-0	5/0	6/1	6/1	6/1	5/0	5/1
900	6/1	6/2	6/2	7/2	6/2	6/2	6/2
600	8/5	8/5	9/6	9/6	9/6	8/5	8/5
300	10/9	12/10	13/11	13/11	11/10	10/9	10/9
Glen	12/11	14/12	15/13	15/13	14/12	13/12	12/11
Freezing Level*	1700m	1600m	2500m	2800m	2500m	2500m	2400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing to add.

Forecast for Wednesday 14 Sep 2022
Weather: Some bright or sunny intervals, particularly towards Ben Wyvis and the Great Glen, but generally a good deal of cloud with a few light showers.

Maximum wind: Northwest 15-20 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 30% increasing 80% by midday.

Low cloud and visibility: broken cloud with bases 600-700 metres, breaking to small amounts and lifting above most of the summits by midday. Visibilities mostly good or very good, but moderate at times in the showers.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 8 Celsius rising to plus 15 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 6
Freezing level: Above the summits

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